

Horsfull & Cameron,  
WHOLESALE  
HARDWARE AND CUTLERY  
PLAIN & BARB FENCE WIRE  
Cor. Austin & Fourth Sts., Waco, Tex.

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# SANGER BROTHERS

We are Pressing Into Service

As many Mechanics as can conveniently work side by side on our new building as we are bound to have it ready for the opening of Fall Trade.

AND IN A STYLE

That will be very gratifying to every one of Waco's well-wishes.

## Our First Floor

Will be a complete Bazaar in itself. Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Notions, Laces and Embroideries, Hosiery and Gloves, Boots and Shoes, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps and Clothing, each will have its space for proper display of Goods, and all will be arranged in such a way that a child can find any Department without the LEAST TROUBLE.

## OUR SECOND FLOOR

Which will be reached by a STEAM PASSENGER ELEVATOR, will be the point of interest for the Ladies here we will have in our

Millinery and Cloak Parlors

Experienced Milliners are now being Engaged in NEW YORK, and our

Millinery Room

WILL BE THE FASHION BAZAAR OF THE STATE.

## Our Carpet Room

On the Second Floor will be double its present size and

Taken as a whole, we will shortly present to the

Public one of the best arranged DRY

GOODS HOUSES in the South.

## THE Dry Goods House of the South.

SANGER BROS.

We Offer at Bottom Figures

The only complete stock of mill supplies in Waco, consisting in part of

Rubber Belting, Leather Belting, Leather, Boiler Tongs, Sheet Copper, Hemp Packing, Asbestos Packing, Bluffit Metal, Fittings, Laces and Rivets, Iron Pipe and Fittings, Brass Sheet Lead and Tube Cleaners.

Shafting, Pulleys, Boxes and Couplings.

EIKEL & BREUSTEDT,

Austin St. Between Fifth and Sixth.

## CAMERON, CASTLES & STOREY,

—WHOLESALE—

Grocers and Druggists

WACO, TEXAS.

The method of handling our Customers' Cotton without commission having proved so entirely satisfactory last year, has influenced us in adopting the same plan for the coming season.

We will receive and promptly dispose of, for account, all consignments from our customers—free of all commissions—guaranteeing them the very best possible classifications and highest market prices.

Waco's immense Cotton receipts last year and her advance of 1-16 to 3-16 over other markets in the State, established her, beyond all doubt, as THE Cotton market of Texas.

There are several reasons to be assigned for the belief that the receipts for the season beginning September 1, 1885, will be equally as large—if not larger—than the shipments of the previous year. We have now located with us resident Spinners' Agents, who have direct connections with the East and Europe, which virtually throws the Cotton immediately into first hands, obviating the heavy expenses, loss of classifications, delays and increase of freight rates resulting from shipments made through commission merchants of other markets.

Our three competitive Railroads afford the finest transportation facilities, and feature us lower through and local rates to and from Waco than any other point in the State.

In conclusion, we would especially call the attention of our friends to our increased and carefully selected stock, which has received our closest attention in readiness for the large FALL trade, which is now fairly upon us, our facilities for handling our Goods with promptness and safety, and our guarantee to make every transaction mutually satisfactory as well as profitable.

Yours faithfully,

CAMERON, CASTLES & STOREY.

It is getting time to shove off odds and ends, the Summer season being pretty well advanced, some popular lines of goods have had a good run, on account of which they have been ordered over and over again, these particular lines we are now very anxious to sell, and in order to do so, we have made such reductions as will sell them even though the customer should not have any particular use for them, the smallest cut we are making this week, is 25 per cent. on former prices. Now we will start out on Embroideries.

### Embroideries! Embroideries!!

Hamburg Edgings, nice qualities 3 1-2c  
Hamburg Edging good width 5c  
Hamburg Edging 4-1-2c  
Hamburg Edging, 6 1-2c  
Hamburg Edging 7c, and all the way up to 50c per yd., of course we have cheaper line of Embroideries, but the line named above is of the very best and not an undesirable pattern in the lot, they are worth 25 per cent. over their price we are selling them for.

### Swiss and Lawn Embroideries.

We have a large line of these in all widths, ranging from 10c. to 50c. per yard, in this line we are showing the biggest drive ever offered in this market.  
We are offering a line of Tordion laces, and insertions from 5c. to 50c. per yard, by which you can judge how cheap goods are getting.

### White Goods and Lawns.

We are still rushing the printed linen lawns at 15, 16 1-2, 18, 22 1-2, 25 an 30c. per yard, every yard of which is worth nearly double that price.  
Our white plaques are selling down, they are the greatest bargain ever sold in this market. We are selling them at 8-10c. per yd.  
We have a big lot of India lawns left which we have reduced in price until there is no bottom left.  
Our colored Victoria lawns have been reduced to 16 2-3c. per yd.; they went like hot cakes all this summer at 25c.

This is an Opportunity for Bargains and no ONE Should MISS IT.

## A HUMAN DEVIL!

He Winds Up by Killing His Daughter, Brother and Seven Others.

Blanco County the Scene of His Cussedness, Bloody Deeds and Self-Slaughter.

Blood-Thirsty Apaches Again Raising Hell and Horrors in Southern Arizona.

A MURDEROUS MONSTER.

He Kills Nine Persons in Blanco County.

AUSTIN, August 25.—Mr. L. R. Dockery, of Johnson City, Blanco county, just arrived in Austin, states that Al. Locke, of Blanco county, an old citizen of extensive connections, had a step-daughter living with him, whom he seduced several years ago. Lately his own daughter was apparently pregnant and putatively by him, and this has been disturbing his mind.

Yesterday between 2 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon he left home, intending to go to John Green's place to borrow money to pay a debt. Green and family were about. He entered the house, took Green's Winchester and returned to the residence of his brother, Berry Locke. Hethen shot and killed both Berry and his wife. A neighbor named John Nickelson, rode up just then, he forced Nickelson to go with him to Mr. Stok's. Hethen shot and killed Mr. Stok's, and there Nickelson is lost sight of but his horse was tied there, when found. From there Locke went to his own house and shot and cut the throat of Henry Locke, of Llano county, (wife of his stepson), who was on a visit to him. He also shot and killed there, Mrs. Stok's, the wife of Mr. Stok's he had killed just previous to the killing of Mrs. Henry Locke. Then he shot and killed his own daughter, Miss Locke, the one referred to above. He attempted to kill his wife, but his cartridges were exhausted and she escaped. Failing to kill his wife he cut his own throat. After cutting his throat he mounted a horse and started for Johnson City, but after having ridden a few yards he met Thomas Brunswick, whom he attacked and fatally injured with a knife. The murderer then rode to where Johnson City, but was arrested within two miles of it. He is now in jail, and is still alive at 2 o'clock this morning. About twenty children are left orphans by this horrible and infamous monster.

RENTLESS REID.

Apaches at Laguna.

NOGALIA, August 25.—The murder of three Americans and eight Mexicans at Buechita by Apaches, has been confirmed by Agapito Franco, who arrived here yesterday from the scene of the crime.

Rampant Red Raiders.

TOMBSTONE, Ariz., August 25.—Sixty Apaches made a raid, on Friday last, on ranches near San Pedro, Mexico, forty miles south of this city. They carried off a number of horses. The raid was witnessed by a squad of Mexican soldiers, but no interference was attempted. A report reached here today, that San Bernardino, famous in connection with Indian troubles, has been abandoned owing to the bold depredations of the hostiles. A party of Mexicans left here for the Mexican border to assist in driving the Indians from the United States soil.

Feeding the Hungry Reds.

WASHINGTON, August 25.—The report of General Miles upon the condition of the Southern Utes in Colorado was received at the interior department this morning, and the commander of Indian affairs immediately instructed the agent to secure supplies for the Indians. The bureau officers say the trouble was caused by deficient appropriations for the purpose of good supplies. The department has endeavored to distribute the amount of the appropriation throughout the fiscal year, but to avert starvation among the Indians it has been found necessary to expend more than the limited amount set apart for each department and rely upon congress to make good the deficiency. In the case of the Southern Utes, there are an interest fund that can be used for the purchase of food when the regular appropriation is exhausted. Supplies amounting to 10,000 pounds of beef and 3,000 pounds of flour, will be issued weekly to these Indians.

CRIME AND CUNNINGNESS.

Two Sentences Commuted.

JACKSON, Miss., August 25.—Governor Lowry has commuted to imprisonment for life, the death sentence which was to have been executed today upon Andrew Townsend, at Natchez, and William B. Martin at Ellenville.

What a Widow Wants.

CHICAGO, August 25.—Mrs. Lucetta W. Davis, claiming to be the widow of the Confederate General Davis, who once owned the Davis addition to Chicago, has commenced suit against a large number of property owners of blocks lying between Lake and Fulton streets and Western avenue and Seymour street, for her right of dower. The tract embraces a hundred lots or more. Her attorney

## PolITICAL POINTS

Democrats, Republicans and Prohib's Brushing Up For the Fray.

The Signal Fires of the Local Option Opponents Blazing All Over the Country.

All Along the Line the Fight Rages and the Blades of Logic Flash.

POLITICAL POINTERS.

The Pennsylvania Democrats.

HARRISBURG, Pa., August 25.—Up to 1 o'clock today not over fifty delegates to the Democratic State convention have arrived here. The talk of those here is but for one candidate—Conrad B. Day, of Philadelphia. He will not doubt be named by the convention by acclamation. The indications point to an endorsement of the state and national administrations, but the fight will be upon anti-dissemination.

Pennsylvania Prohibitionists.

HARRISBURG, Pa., August 25.—The state prohibitionists assembled in convention here this morning. There are over 200 delegates present, and the convention is the most animated held for years. A. A. Barler, of Cambria county, state chairman, called the convention to order, and A. A. Stevens, of Lyone, Blair county, was elected temporary chairman. He mentioned the delegates against doing anything except that which would be an honor and a credit to the cause they represented. The morning session was occupied in the forming of various committees and the election of A. A. Stevens as permanent as well as temporary chairman. After a recess a telegram was read from H. A. Thompson of Westmoreland, Pa., saying that Ohio sends greetings and expressing hope for the future. Other telegrams were read from J. A. Oran, of Pittsburgh, and W. C. Dickson, of Williamsport. A greeting was sent to the convention in Kansas. Ex-Governor St. John was then brought in amid much applause, and made a brief speech on the work of the cause. The chairmen of the committee on credentials reported 300 delegates present and entitled to seats.

Republicans of New York.

SARATOGA, N. Y., August 25.—The meeting of the State republican committee was called to order shortly after 12 o'clock today, by Chairman Warren. Ex-Secretary Van Hook presided over the meeting and read the following preamble and resolutions:

Whereas, The best interest of the Republican party will be secured by the pending contest by a free and full expression of the views of all classes of republicans throughout the state, and in view of the fact that the delegates to the next convention, therefore be it

Resolved, As the judgment of this committee, that the delegates to the several county assemblies, who are to be elected, should be invited, without regard to any so-called "fundamental trust" to aid and take part in said primary; and that the committee recommend the organization of the party throughout the state to act in compliance with the foregoing suggestions.

Mr. Jacob Hess asked if the plan would not interfere with the plans already adopted last year.

Mr. Van Cott and there were thousands of republicans in New York city who did not vote last year for the anti-imperialist ticket, and it would be wise for the committee to do all in its power to give them an opportunity to vote for the republican nominees this year.

Mr. Van Cott said the resolution was simply intended as a recommendation, and there could be no sound objection to it. He thought it was a wise thing to do, as "there are many republicans in New York city and throughout the state who have been excluded from the republican candidate for president. We should have universal liberty prevail throughout the party. If it is adopted, republicans who did not support their candidate last year can come in and lend us their aid, and thus we will have a full support for the candidate whom we shall nominate. It is for the interest of the party that the resolution should be made without a dissenting voice."

The resolution was then adopted. A committee of seven New York republicans was given admittance and addressed the committee, urging an enlargement of the plan for holding the convention. He favored delegates from each town, which would create enthusiasm among all classes. He said that the resolution should be adopted, and that the party should be united. He said that the resolution should be adopted, and that the party should be united. He said that the resolution should be adopted, and that the party should be united.

Minister Phelps' Reminiscences.

WASHINGTON, August 25.—The remains of Hon. Seth L. Phelps, late minister to Peru, which arrived at New York yesterday by steamer City of New York, today, before leaving Hong Kong he was waited on by a deputation of leading Chinese merchants and presented with a silver cup and an address.

Opera Fall is the best smoking tobacco in the state.

## Waco Belt Weather Report.

Galveston, August 25.—The status of the weather throughout the cotton belt of Texas during the twenty-four hours ending at 6 p. m. today was as follows:—The first figures being the maximum of temperature, the second the minimum and the third showing the amount of rainfall in inches or hundredths thereof:

Galveston 90, 81, 00; Houston, 90, 74, 00; Hearne, 90, 72, 00; Waco, 92, 74, 00; Corsicana, 95, 75, 00; Dallas, 95, 76, 00; San Antonio, 94, 72, 00; Cuero, 96, 73, 02; Palestine, 92, 74, 00; Columbia, 92, 74, 00; Huntsville, 95, 74, 00; Longview, 95, 78, 00; Austin, 94, 76, 00; Tyler, 95, 78, 00; Weatherford, 97, 67, 00; Belton, 96, 68, 00; Orange, 90, 73, 00; Luling, 96, 78, 00; Wrenn, 92, 74, 00; Sour Lake, 93, 69, 00.

Mean temperature throughout the cotton belt: highest, 95.1; lowest, 73.32. Mean rainfall, .00.

WEST WARRING UP.

Judge Gerald and Mr. Cox Stir Up Local Option—J. L. Moore.

Waco, August 25.—There was public speaking here this afternoon at 3 o'clock by Judge Gerald and Mr. T. H. Cox of Waco, on the subject of prohibition. The judge made a masterful speech and presented a solid array of indisputable facts. For over an hour he held the attention of the audience and every one praises him as one of the finest orators ever heard in our community. He made many converts to the cause of true democracy and personal liberty.

Mr. Cox followed in a neat argument and presented the prohibition side of the question to the satisfaction of every devotee of that peculiar faith. To-night Mr. J. L. Moore addressed a large audience at the Presbyterian church, and for over two hours entertained the crowd with one of the most offensive personal speeches possible to be made. He endeavored in every possible way to excite the race prejudice between the negroes and whites, and said: "Every vote you cast for prohibition, you kill a nigger's vote."

CRAWFORD COALS.

The Fires of the Local Option Fight at Turnout Heat.

CRAWFORD, August 25.—At a meeting of the Local Option alliance, held here last night, a resolution was passed to have printed circulars struck and distributed among the people regarding the coming county election. A basket dinner will be held here the 29th instant, and speakers for the prohibitionists and the anti-prohibitionists will be present. The anti-prohibitionists are anxious to have Senator Coke or Hon. J. R. Q. Mills to represent them, as Honan and their strongest prohibition speakers will blow their horns on that day.

The ladies are preparing a nice treat for the prohibition orator who delivers the best talk. There never was more interest manifested in a question than there is now being exhibited among our people over this election.

HOON BUSTLING.

The Little Burg Bashful Things.

Specie to the Examiner. Goss, August 25.—Local option is all the talk now these days. The people can spare enough of their time to get sick except occasionally a stray child slips in.

Mr. Walter B. King returned this evening from Milford, whether he has been visiting—well we won't say whom.

The Union Grove camp-meeting closed yesterday evening after a few days pull at the sinners, and now the Baptists are claiming the share of the spoils, having commenced their meeting at the altar.

CHOCOLATE.

Local Option Violation.

GROESBECK, August 25.—Judge Hunt will hear arguments in the habeas corpus case of J. F. Pinkard, who was jailed last week for violating the local option law on Sunday the 28th; Burrow & Kincaid representing Pinkard. Much interest is manifested as it will decide temporarily the validity of the election in this county. The summer is very dry but cool and pleasant. The cotton crop short.

The Irish National League.

OKLAHOMA, August 25.—Patrick Egan, president of the Irish National League of America, in an interview today regarding the charge that the league has degenerated into a mere political machine and is therefore virtually dead, says: "While I was in New York I accepted the presidency of the league and therefore, while holding that position, I was precluded from taking any part in politics, what ever my political opinion may have been. I maintained this position throughout the last presidential campaign and intend to maintain the same attitude so long as I am president of the league. The league is dead, it is altogether a taken man. We have nearly 600 branches scattered all over the country. All of them will be in active working condition at the time of the national convention to be held in Chicago next November. It will be the largest ever held. A meeting will probably be held in attendance at Chicago next November. It is also expected; Sullivan will take in next as Mayor of Dublin January 1st. Two or three other prominent members of the Irish National party are expected."

A Bargain in Corner Lots.

From filling a grave in a cemetery to corner half year days are numbered. Always keep a supply of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery by you. When the first symptoms of consumption appear lose no time in putting yourself under the treatment of this invaluable medicine. It cures when anything else will. Possessing, as it does, ten times the virtue of the cheapest liver oil, it is not only the best blood purifier and system cleanser, but it purifies and enriches the blood, strengthens the system, cures blotches, pimples and eruptions and other humors. By druggists.

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The Wabash Escapes.

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The "West Shore" Lease.

NEW YORK, August 25.—Drexel Morgan & Company issued a circular to the first mortgage bondholders of the West Shore to-day, stating that holders of \$4,000,000 of the bonds had assented to the plan of re-organization of the lease to the New York Central proposed by Drexel, Morgan & Co., in their circular of the 10th inst., and that other bondholders would be permitted to partake of the benefits to accrue by disposing of their bonds and paying \$20 per \$100.

A Monument Item.

KANSAS CITY, August 25.—Nothing has transpired to-day regarding the proposed labor meeting at Wyandotte last night. The situation concerning the Wabash is unchanged.

MEXICO.

Cutting Down Freight Rates.—Yellow Fever Epidemic.

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